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MEMORANDUM FOR: AFEDR-P

SUBJECT : Military Awards for OXCART Pilots

1. This memorandum substantiates my request of 28 June 1968 to have the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Force Legion of Merit recommended for award to the below listed pilots. Periods of time in which acts occurred are also listed. The Distinguished Flying Cross is recommended specifically for operational flights in which all the below listed personnel have participated. The Air Force Legion of Merit is recommended specifically for participation in research and development of the OXCART aircraft prior to commencing operational flights.

| <u>NAME</u>  | <u>LEGION OF MERIT</u> | <u>DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS</u> |
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| <div data-bbox="224 1257 560 1436" style="border: 1px solid black; width: 207px; height: 85px;"></div> | 7 Nov 62-12 Jul 67     | 13 Jul 67-19 Jun 68               |
|  | 15 Feb 63-19 Jun 67    | 20 Jun 67-19 Jun 68               |
|  | 1 Aug 63-5 Oct 67      | 6 Oct 67-19 Jun 68                |
|  | 20 Jun 63-18 Jul 67    | 19 Jul 67-19 Jun 68               |
|  | 15 Feb 63-30 May 67    | 31 May 67-19 Jun 68               |

2. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated.

FOR THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

USAF review(s) completed.

SIGNED

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